



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Docket No. 410461)

In re the Application of:) Customer No. 27717
Vladimir Mitelberg et al.)
Serial No.: 10/743,510) Art Unit: 3738
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For: Intravascular Stent Device)

TO: MAIL STOP: Amendment
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Dear Sir:

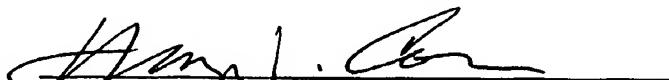
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